

# FLAMES DESTROY MARKET

Commission To  
Control Atomic  
Energy Is Plan.

Agreements Made At Foreign Minister's Conference Just Ended At Moscow Revealed

BELIEVE RUSSIA TO CHANGE POLICY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The atomic bomb was credited today with jarring Russia from an isolationist attitude which leading diplomats feared might wreck the United Nations' security organization.

Washington observers expressed the opinion that the declaration of the Moscow "Big Three" foreign ministers meeting which proposed an atomic control commission, indicated that Russia will become an active participant in the UNO when it meets in London on Jan. 10.

Before leaving for Moscow it had been Secretary of State James F. Byrnes' chief concern that Russia might remain aloof. In that case, he feared, the UNO might become as impotent as was the League of Nations without American participation.

Atomic Bomb Is Key

It was no secret in Washington that the atomic bomb question was the most important bargaining point that Byrnes carried on his blazed-blown air journey two weeks ago.

The communiqué indicated to observers that, aside from Russia's general participation in world affairs—suddenly terminated with the five-power council of foreign ministers in London last September—Byrnes has achieved substantial re-

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PA NEWC OBSERVES

W. F. Johnston, of Wallace ave., reports that Mrs. Johnston served sliced tomatoes for their Christmas dinner. They were raised in his Victory garden last summer.

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From the avalanche of engagement announcements that has reached The News during the past few days, Santa Claus must have been busy passing around diamond rings in this area this season.

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Another worry is being conjured up at Washington. Suggestion has been made that Hawaii be admitted as the forty-ninth state of the union. Now the problem develops of where to put the star in the flag if the action is taken.

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In cleaning out his attic in preparation for some remodeling work, one of the Pa Newc family discovered that a squirrel had made his nest in the rafters of the attic and had holed himself up for the winter months. The squirrel had climbed up a tree near the house and through a loose board, had in some manner gained entrance to the third floor, making himself at home.

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The slogan of one local utility company might be adopted by all New Castle motorists and truckers during the present inclement weather. The slogan reads: "Bad weather means slow down." Its observance would prevent many accidents.

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Pa Newc noted a new type of snow plow in operation on Croton avenue extension, early Thursday afternoon. The plow evidently a home made affair was similar to those operated by the highway department, but the hoisting apparatus was the unique feature of it. When the operator desired to raise the blade of the snow remover, he simply hoisted the bed of his truck up to which the supporting arm of the blade was attached and the plow raised with the bed of the truck.

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## Some Press Reaction On Moscow Results

(International News Service)

Following are the highlights from newspaper editorials on the Moscow conference:

**The New York Times:** The final communiqué issued by the Moscow conference is by all odds the most hopeful document that has been presented to the world since Germany and Japan signed the instruments of their surrender. It ends the deadlock among the big powers and thus makes it possible for the world to get down to work in coping with the frightful consequences of the war. It is in short, a victory for peace, and in that sense a victory for mankind.

**New York Herald Tribune:** The Moscow communiqué records a staggering amount of work and demands grateful recognition at the outset of both the industry of the

foreign ministers and their ability to make decision. The urgent lesson of the last few months has been the desperate need of procedural machinery—of rules and agencies, both international and within the governments of the great powers, capable of getting agreements and taking action. We need capable men and strong communications on many levels. Moscow has set about the painful task of building that essential apparatus. It was a task too long neglected.

**Cleveland Plain Dealer:** Little attention was given to such an explosive matter as the rebellion in Iran and the attempt of the Russians there to establish a puppet government similar to those controlled by Moscow in the Balkans. No consideration, it is reported, was

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## Truman Leaves Kansas City On Return Flight

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 28.—(INS)—President Truman took off at 8:35 a.m. (EST) this morning for the United Nations Atomic Commission set up a plan for outlawing not only atomic weapons but other devices for mass slaughter.

Deice overcast covered the Kansas area. The weather is elsewhere along the flight path to Washington was reported to be normal for flying.

The take-off was made in overcast conditions which were reported to be of 2,300 feet at Fairfax airfield. However, the pilot, Lt. Col. Henry T. Myers said that it would be a simple matter to fly through the overcast to light sunny weather above.

The president took with him in his plane Jim Pendergast, Missouri politician and an old friend, Mrs. Pendergast and a daughter.

## Applicants For Deputy Sheriffs

Acting according to the state law, Sheriff-elect Frank L. Coen today posted the names of applicants for positions as deputy sheriffs when he assumes office on January 1.

Open Agreements

"It is vital and urgent for nations of the world, beginning with the strong ones, to establish honest and

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Thirteen Others Are Reported Seriously Wounded Or Missing Following Attacks

JERUSALEM, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Casualties mounted to 10 dead and 13 missing or seriously wounded today following terrorist bombing and artillery attacks on British headquarters buildings in three Palestine cities.

An NBC London broadcast said "at least 12 persons were killed during the outbreaks."

British authorities said that "Jews armed with automatic weapons" stormed criminal investigation division headquarters in Jerusalem, Jaffa and Tel Aviv.

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Credit Byrnes With Success

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## G. M. Withdraws At Fact-Finding Board Hearing

Declines To Comply With Hearing Demands On Prices And Profits

### BOARD CONTINUES PROBE HOWEVER (BULLETIN)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—(INS)—General Motors withdrew today from further participation in the proceedings of President Truman's fact finding board investigating the five-week old strike of nearly 200,000 GM workers.

The three-man panel immediately announced its intention to proceed with an investigation of the CIO-UAW's demand for a 30 per cent pay boost, with only the union represented at the hearings.

Walter Gordon Merritt, New York attorney for GM, presented to the panel a detailed statement of the corporation's position that it could not continue in the proceedings if the panel held to its decision to inquire into prices, profits and ability to pay as a relevant issue in the wage dispute.

Fact-Finders To Proceed

Patel Chairman Lloyd K. Garrison promptly announced that the fact-finders would not recede from their intention to consider the price-profits issue in making a wage recommendation.

New men then asked Merritt whether the company was withdrawing from the hearings. The attorney answered,

We have withdrawn."

Merritt added that he was leaving for New York at once and that GM's chair would be vacant at the resumption of panel hearings at 2:30 p.m. (EST).

Not Receding

Shortly after General Motors reiterated its decision to walk out of the hearings if the board inquires into prices, profits and ability to

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## Commission To Have Power To Outlaw A-Bomb

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—(INS)—America, Britain and Russia were in agreement today that the proposed United Nations Commission for atomic energy shall have power to outlaw the atomic bomb.

The three nations, in a joint communiqué from Moscow, proclaimed their intention to support the creation of the commission.

They also agreed that the body shall move with the utmost dispatch to formulate proposals to control of the lethal weapon.

Chief of these proposals will be for the elimination from national armaments of atomic weapons and of all other major weapons adaptable to mass destruction."

The latter clause also appeared to promise the commission power to deal with the major "terror weapons" employed widely by the Nazis in the dying days of the war or new ones.

The commission's proposed authority raised wide speculation. Chief point was that of the implied police powers in a section authorizing it to propose "effective safeguards" to protect complying states from violations.

The attacks all occurred with a 35-minute period, the first, at 7:15 p.m. last night. By 10 p.m. a curfew had been imposed on the areas. Armored cars patrolled the Jewish sections of the city.

Meanwhile, a Jewish agency spokesman denied the Jerusalem attack was staged by members of the Jewish "Haganah" organization. He said it apparently was the work of extremists of the so-called "Irgun Zvai Leumi," an organization which concentrates its attacks on police stations.

The outbreaks followed renewed Jewish protests of British policy in the Holy land.

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Observers pointed out that the question of United States congressional approval of the big three agreement might be raised.

The Moscow agreement named

Gen. MacArthur as "the sole executive authority for the allied powers in Japan" but any one of the four-nation control council may bar the five-star general from issuing a directive until after its submission to the 11-power far eastern commission.

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No Official Remarks On Decision To Form Four-Power Control Council For Japan

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Ten Eastern States Remain As Likely UNO Headquarters

LONDON, Dec. 28.—(INS)—All but 10 eastern states were eliminated today as possible permanent headquarters of the United Nations organization.

The announcement smothered the hopes of such cities as San Francisco, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago and others.

Districts from which the UNO sub-committee must choose include Boston and Concord, Mass., New York, Hyde Park, and Saratoga Springs, N.Y.; Newport and the state of Rhode Island; Richmond, Portsmouth, Monticello and Virginia Beach, Va.; Philadelphia, Valley Forge and Delaware county, Pa., and Ridgefield, Conn.

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## LIFER ESCAPES NOT FOR LONG



Up for sentence to life imprisonment as a habitual criminal, Casper Zukerski, notorious Michigan criminal, saw his way out of the recorder's court bullpen in Detroit, leaped 30 feet to the ground outside and escaped in a cab. He was captured four hours later—with two broken legs. Pictures show the sawed bars, a police photo of Zukerski, top right, and the window from which he jumped.

(Associated Press Photo)

Sanity Trial Of Mrs. Mansfeldt Near Conclusion

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 28.—(INS)—Navy and civilian search parties found a man today for a missing marines pilot who apparently parachuted from his stricken plane over southwest Washington Thursday.

Three other airmen who accompanied him in a plane from Seattle to Portland were safe after one of them had made a crash landing.

The missing man—the navy did not announce names of the men—was about noon when he was seen in a plane at 14,000 feet in a storm.

Two of the other pilots reached Portland early this morning with gas tanks nearly empty after circling the ocean for three hours. The third plane came down in a crash landing west of Portland.

The defense has nearly completed its interrogation of its witnesses who are testifying to Mrs. Mansfeldt's family and personal background in an attempt to prove she was insane at the time she shot and killed Mrs. Martin.

Can Win Acquittal

If the defense proves Mrs. Mansfeldt was insane when she shot the man she suspected of having an illicit romance with her husband, Dr. John Mansfeldt, it can win an acquittal.

## New Years Eve Tippling 'High' Including Cost

Most Night Spots Want  
Day's Wage To Get In,  
OPA Ceiling On  
Drinks Tho

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Revelers may get pretty "high" as they ring in the New Year next Monday, but it won't compare with the high costs of imbibing.

There will be plenty of hangovers on the first day of the year, and the guy who found himself entangled in table-legs the night before will have an added headache when he discovers how much it cost him.

The more sophisticated spots will put the chill on would-be celebrants at the door by greeting them with a cover charge ranging from \$4 to \$8 per person.

Tipplers may have one ray of hope though—they may get as "high" as they want, but costs of drinks are pegged at ceiling prices.

The particular customers will find that they can start out on that hard-to-get pre-war stuff. But when it runs out, the patron will fall back on the same old "tiger sweat" he's become used to during the war—however, by then he may not care.

The higher class "joints" will serve a supper which is included in their cover charge. Some places will call it breakfast. But all will have the usual noisemakers—besides the reveler himself—to keep the patrons happy.

For those driving on New Years' Eve, Major William E. Hoffman, head of Western Pennsylvania State police, hauled out his old slogan and warned drivers saying, "If you drink don't drive. If you drive don't drink."

Major Hoffman said that all available men would be on patrol, but that doesn't expect trouble above normal, despite the fact that the public is in a celebrating mood with their first peace-time New Years' in four years.

**RETIRE TO HAVE BABY**

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Temporary retirement from the screen upon the completion of her current picture, to await the birth of a baby expected next summer, was announced today by Actress Jinx Falkenberg. In private life she is the wife of Col. Tex McCrary. They were married last June.

There are 92 chemical elements known in the world today.

### SOME PRESS REACTION ON MOSCOW RESULTS

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given to the Russian demand for a large section of Turkey . . . yet Iran and Turkey are more likely to endanger the peace of the world than China or Korea, or, for that matter, the atomic bomb.

We must recognize, however, that every world issue cannot be settled at one conference. On the whole the Moscow meeting can be accredited with positive good, not the least noteworthy achievement being the new disposition of the powers to talk matters over."

**San Francisco Chronicle:** The governments of this country and Great Britain are to be congratulated for statesmanship and the government of Soviet Russia for a gesture toward world peace and cooperation, the effects of which will be felt everywhere.

**Philadelphia Bulletin:** "It may seem to some fantastic to consider Russia, a revolutionary force, as a bulwark of international stability. Yet the Soviet system, however arbitrary and repellant it may seem to western notions, needs for its survival fundamentally what we do—law and order in the world sphere. Common need can bridge over the greatest ideological differences if the way of salvation for each and all is identical."

### SOME SENATORS' VIEWS ON PARLEY HELD AT MOSCOW

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open agreements for the outlawing of atomic energy as a weapon, and I hope they will outlaw other mass destruction weapons.

This will carry with it the necessity for adequate inspection in all countries for all time to come."

Sen. Elbert Thomas (D) Utah, chairman of the Senate Military Affairs committee, said that the communiqué created "a forum through which men in government can work." Thomas declared:

Sen. Johnson (D) Colo. hailed the Big Three agreement to back an atomic commission as an important step, but declared that was as far as the Big Three representatives should go without bringing in other nations.

Sen. Austin (R) Vt., a member of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, called the atomic energy program "good." He said:

"The resolution to create an atomic energy commission looks like a good arrangement."

Rep. Bloom (D) N. Y., chairman of the House Foreign Affairs committee, expressed general satisfaction with the Moscow communiqué Bloom observed:

"It looks like a step in the right direction—a step in the direction of peace."

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Before the war it was estimated that the bears in New York City took in approximately \$50,000 a day.

## U.S. Will Have Final Say On Policy In Japan

MOSCOW, Dec. 28.—(INS)—American diplomatic circles in Moscow said today Russian inclusion on the Japanese control commission was a reward for her "generations of resistance" to Japanese aggression.

They said the four-power commission was established to prevent an impasse in administration such as has prevailed in Germany. Under the Moscow conference agreement, the U. S. will have the final say on policy in Japan.

Occupying the Scarboro apartments were the families of Perry Clemens, Phil Greer, Jr., Edward Varley, Robert Gorst, F. W. Campbell, Mrs. Hazel Porterfield, and George Seaford.

**Blaze Under Control**

By 1:30 a. m. the six companies had brought the blaze under control, the fighting of the blaze having to take place from the front and rear of the structure, and from the roofs of the adjoining buildings. The ruins were still smoldering in spots at 9 o'clock this morning in spite of the great quantity of water which was poured onto the blaze.

Terminating the Moscow talks "amazingly successful," the American observers said the achievements were "as broad and as deep as those of Yalta".

One spokesman declared that Russia supported establishment of the atomic energy commission in the UNO framework despite U. S. Secretary of State James F. Byrnes' statement the secret of the atom bomb had been withheld from Russia.

The spokesman added that he considered the Soviet-American five-year plan for control of Korea as a highly interesting experiment marking the first time Russia and the U. S. would work alone on any international project.

In a more reserved appraisal of the conference, a British spokesman declared:

"Not all our hopes have been fulfilled. There is still more to be done. We were unable to touch the vast question of the economic rehabilitation of Europe."

### Reports Thieves And Vandals Work During Big Fire

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Survivors include one son, Floyd Dight, three daughters, Mrs. Mabel Smith, New Castle; Mrs. Florence Foster, R. D. 4, Slippery Rock, and Mrs. Adeline Dietrich, North Liberty; brother, J. Bowman Dight, Jacksonville; a sister, Mrs. Florence Reynolds, St. Petersburg, Fla.; 13 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by two sons.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the North Liberty Presbyterian church, with Dr. A. H. Leitch officiating. The body will be in state one-half hour before funeral time.

Interment will take place in North Liberty cemetery.

The body will be removed this evening from the Cunningham funeral home, Grove City, to the residence, where friends may call at any time.

Shaffer Funeral.

Funeral services for Samuel Shaffer, of New Castle, R. D. 6, were conducted Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the R. L. Boyd funeral home, with the Rev. V. A. Shaffer, of the Princeton Presbyterian church, officiating.

Interment took place in Mt. Hermon cemetery.

Szostuk Funeral.

Funeral services for Stephen Szostuk of Mt. Harrison Street took place from the J. R. Noga funeral home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

John Grenzich, John Phillips, Stephen Tarczak, Anthony Koronodi, Stephen Tarczak and Philip Suga served as pallbearers.

Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Frank Funeral.

Requiem high mass for Mrs. Martha Frank of 1508 Huron avenue was offered this morning at 9 a. m. from St. Vitus church, with the Rev. Fr. Nicholas DeMita officiating.

Angelo Chil, Don Genovese, Joseph Leo Samuel DeFelice, Eugene and Augustine Flami served as pallbearers.

The committal service at the grave in St. Vitus cemetery was conducted by the Rev. Fr. Albert M. Inteso.

In Memoriam.

In memory of Kenneth Musser who passed away two years ago today.

If all the world was ours to give,

We would give it all and more;

To see the face of him we love,

And hear his voice once more.

WIFE and CHILDREN  
PARENTS and SISTERS

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In Memoriam.

We wish to thank all our friends

and relatives for the kindness and

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**Deaths of the Day**

Infant Martin

Infant Martin, aged one day, daughter of Herbert W. and Mildred Wheel Martin, of 918 Marshall avenue, died in the Jameson Memorial hospital Thursday morning at 6:00 o'clock. The baby was born Wednesday in the hospital.

Survivors in addition to the parents include a sister, Marie Anne Martin; one brother, Darrell Martin; and her grandparents, Mrs. John Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Martin, all of New Castle.

Brief services were conducted this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the grave in Oak Park cemetery, with the Rev. J. Calvin Rose of the Second U. P. church officiating.

**John Dudek**

John Dudek, aged 62 years, of Detroit, Mich., died Thursday in Detroit. Mr. Dudek, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Dudek, was born in Poland. He spent 30 years in New Castle and had been in Detroit for the past 14-15 years.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Baldwin Dudek, of 7 Maple street, New Castle; his mother, Mrs. Mary Dudek, Europe; three daughters, Sister Eldzia, Denver, Colo., Mrs. William Harrison, Berkley, Mich., and Mrs. Joseph Swartney, Detroit; two sons, Seaman 2-c Joseph Dudek, U. S. Navy, Sampson, N. Y., and T. Sgt. Frank Dudek, U. S. Marines, China.

He also leaves five brothers, Joseph and Peter Dudek, both of New Castle; Anthony Dudek, McKeesport; Frank Dudek, Ellwood City, and Rev. Fr. M. Dudek, Europe and one grandchild.

Brief funeral services will be conducted Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the J. R. Noga funeral home, 101 East Long avenue. Further services will follow at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning from the Madonna church, with the Rev. Fr. Edward Piquillik officiating.

Interment will take place in Madison cemetery.

The body will arrive here late this evening and will be taken to the funeral home, where friends will be received Saturday and Sunday afternoons and evenings.

**Mrs. Margaret P. Dight**

Mrs. Margaret P. Dight, aged 84 years of R. D. 2, Grove City, died at her residence in North Liberty Thursday following a five years illness. She was the widow of James Melvin Dight who preceded her in death 24 years ago.

Mrs. Dight, daughter of the late John and Mary Jane Emery Dight, was born March 29, 1861 in Jacksonville, Butler County. She had resided for the past 10 years in the North Liberty district, moving there from Slippery Rock.

She was a member of the North Liberty Presbyterian church, the White Star class and Ladies Missionary society of the church.

Survivors include one son, Floyd Dight, three daughters, Mrs. Mabel Smith, New Castle

# Society and Clubs

## COLGAN CARUTHERS WEDDING IN WEST

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clifford Colgan of 2394 Highland avenue, this city, announce the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor Isabel Colgan, to Ray G. Caruthers of 322 Clemmore boulevard on Thursday, Dec. 27, in Riverside, Calif.

The ceremony took place at five o'clock in the afternoon in St. Francis' chapel of the Mission Inn, Riverside. Rev. Mr. Barnes, rector of Trinity Episcopal church of Redlands, Calif., officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Keith McAfee of this city attended the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Caruthers left after the ceremony on a tour of Lower California.

Mr. Caruthers is vice president in charge of sales of the Universal Sanitary Manufacturing company.

## PENN POWER GIRLS HONOR CO-WORKER

Yester-day evening the Penn Power Girls held a party in the service building, South Jefferson street, in honor of Miss Martha Dinsmore who is retiring from the company.

At the close of the evening, B. Round presented her with a gift from the company for her years of service, and the Girls club also remembered her with a gift.

**Semper Fidelis Club**

Semper Fidelis club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Carl Tranquilla, 513 East Leisure avenue, on Thursday evening.

Cards were the pastime and the prize went to Mrs. Genevieve Sarbo. Mrs. Anthony Zambelli was a special guest.

Plans were made for the club's anniversary dinner to be held January 6 at a downtown restaurant with husbands as guests.

A lunch was served at the close of the evening.

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## FREDA M. CAMPBELL WEDS WESLEY DEAN

Vows were exchanged at a candlelight open church ceremony at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening in the Central Presbyterian church when Miss Freda M. Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Campbell, of R. D. 1, became the bride of Wesley E. Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick Dean, of R. D. 6.

Dr. R. M. Pattersen officiated with the single ring ceremony in the presence of a large assembly of friends.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of lace and net, the lace bodice fashioned with sweetheart neckline and long sleeves and full floor-length skirt.

Her fingertip-length veil fell from a beaded Juliet cap and she carried an arm bouquet of white roses.

Miss Miriam Wimer was maid of honor a woman in a gown similar in style to the bride's but of pink satin and tulle. Her headdress was a wreath of pink flowers and she carried a bouquet of pink orchid, and purple flowers.

Nuptial music was played by Mrs. John F. Love at the organ and Mrs. George E. Streicher, soloist, sang two selections including "Because," a favorite of the bride.

Richard Dean was best man for his brother and Robert Dean, also a brother of the groom and Arthur Leile were ushers.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church parlors for 50 guests. A tiered wedding cake was a feature and buffet refreshments were served with Mrs. Betty Shuster and the Misses Betty Haas, Alene Hartzell, Ruth Patterson, and June Matlack as aides.

The couple left on their return trip and make their home in Bessemer street, Grove City, after the first of the year.

Mr. Dean is employed in Grove City at the Cooper-Bessemer plant. Mrs. Dean has been employed as a supervisor in the Bell Telephone Company office here. She is a graduate of New Castle high school and he is a graduate of Princeton high school. He recently received a discharge after 4½ years army service.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McKeel of Curitsville, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell of Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Winger, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Melke.

Carols were sung by the group, with Mrs. Paul Shannon as accompanist.

Following a gift exchange luncheon was served by the hosts of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Melke will entertain at the church Tuesday evening, Jan. 29.

**GILL BROWN CLASS HAS YULETIDE PARTY**

Gill Brown Bible class members assembled Wednesday evening in Central Presbyterian church for a Yuletide session.

After the business meeting was conducted by the vice president, William McConnell, games were directed by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Slack and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Melke. Carols were sung by the group, with Mrs. Paul Shannon as accompanist.

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**JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB HAS BRIDGE**

Christmas party of the Junior Woman's club was held at The Castleton Thursday in the form of an evening bridge.

Tables of contract bridge were in play and high score went to Miss Margaret McCracken and second high award to Mrs. Floyd Wantman.

Mr. Leonid Thomas was chairman of arrangements.

Next meeting will be January 16 at the home of Mrs. Thomas, 119 County Line street.

**Engagement Told AT FAMILY DINNER**

George Candalota of 607 Pearson street, announced the engagement of his daughter Dorothy Jean Candalota to Platoon Sgt. George H. Stamp of the U. S. Marine Corps, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Stamp, at a family dinner given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Reed, 627 Superior street, on Tuesday evening.

The engagement will terminate in a June wedding.

Sgt. Stamp recently returned from overseas duty, having served 24 months in the Pacific Theater of Operations.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Melke will entertain at the church Tuesday evening, Jan. 29.

**Reunited Ladies League**

Mrs. Ida Kuder, Court street, entertained the Reunited Ladies League Thursday evening in her home.

Following the regular business meeting game were enjoyed by the group with prizes going to Mrs. Ida Kuder, Mrs. Guerne Shuler and Mrs. Mary Skomorok with the door prize going to Mrs. Gerty Houston.

A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess.

The group will meet January 16 for the next meeting.

**26 '27 ALUMNI DINNER SATURDAY**

Union High Class '26-'27 will have its annual Christmas season dinner at the Kaufman hotel, Zelienople Saturday evening December 29.

Reservations are in charge of Miss Elizabeth Wallace.

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Buffet refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Next meeting will be January 16 at the home of Miss Betty Bloomer, 211 Hilltop avenue with Mrs. John Dism as co-hostess.

No date has been set for the next meeting.

**Electon Held By Volunteer Firemen**

G. W. Johnson Hose & Chemical Co. Meets At Ray Street Fire Station

Visitors over the Christmas holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Ray, East Wallace avenue are Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Anderson and children, of Chicago, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Thayer and children, of Allison Park.

**Holiday Visitors**

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**BIRTHS**

Announcements to appear in this column must be signed with name and address of mother and name and sex and doctor.

**BORN TO MR. AND MRS. FRANK T. RAMSEY**

611 Croton avenue, a son December 22, Jameson Memorial Hospital.

**BORN TO MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM MOORE**

218 E. Main, a daughter, December 22, Jameson Memorial hospital.

**BORN TO MR. AND MRS. HARRY S. GENE**

R. D. 1, Clemmore avenue, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, December 27.

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**Arrival Of Byrnes Will Be Delayed**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26—(INS)—The state department announced today that bad weather conditions would delay Secretary of State Byrnes' arrival in Washington from Moscow until 9 a.m. EST tomorrow.

The plane carrying the secretary previously was scheduled to land at noon a.m. tomorrow.

Word has been received here of the birth of a son, December 27, to Capt. and Mrs. Ralph Gilliland, of Tampa, Fla., in a Tampa hospital.

Mrs. Gilliland is the former Miss Martha Byers, of New Wilmington.

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## NEIGHBORS UNITE AT BRYAN HOME

St. Mary's Educational Association sponsored a Yuletide dinner Thursday evening in St. Mary's hall, Bryan street. There was a large number of couples in attendance.

The hall was attractively decorated in seasonal tones. A beautifully lighted tree on the stage completed the background for the dancers who enjoyed square and round dancing to music furnished by a local orchestra.

Plans are being made for another dance the latter part of January.

**WOMEN VOTERS' LEAGUE MEETS**

League of Women Voters held a discussion meeting in the Y.W.C.A. Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Subject of the discussion, led by Mrs. Kenneth Beck, was "Is It Really Immoral for a Citizen in a Democracy to Take No Part in His Government?"

Members expressed a variety of views on the question of whether an indifferent citizen in a democracy is an immoral one.

Later members reviewed the questions asked a foreigner before he can become a naturalized citizen. In the absence of Mrs. Alex Samuels, these were presented by Mrs. Beck.

Mrs. Lyle Hughes presided and opened the meeting with a thought for the New Year.

Miss Marquerite Uhl gave a summary of legislation passed by Congress.

Business included reading of by-laws to be voted on at the next meeting, the appointment of Mrs. L. F. Kohn as parliamentarian of the league, and the appointment of a committee to visit City Council.

Mrs. Kohn will be in charge of the program for the January meeting.

**PRE-NUPTIAL EVENT HONORS BRIDE ELECT**

Among the many happy local events that occurred on Christmas day was the meeting of six neighborhood chums at the J. Elder Bryan home, 914 Morton street.

The neighbor friends, who had been separated for the past four years due to the war were Lieut. Jane Bryan of Cherry Point, N. C., Dr. J. Elder Bryan, Jr., of the Allegheny General hospital, Pittsburgh; S-Sgt. Robert Sturdevant, Lieut. Dan Remley, Captain Paul Couthard and Cpl. Tom Holliday.

The group reminisced of former days and related of their experiences gained in the service of their country.

Cpl. Holliday recently received a diploma from the University of Florence, while Captain Coulthard and Lt. Remley have been serving in the China-India theater of operations.

Lt. Bryan has returned to her duties at Cherry Point while Dr. Bryan has returned to his studies at Allegheny hospital.

**PRE-NUPTIAL EVENT HONORS BRIDE ELECT**

Among the pre-nuptial events that have been given for Miss Mary Lou Shouff is the shower given recently at the home of Mrs. Anna Tucker, 107 West Washington street, for 30 guests.

Various games were pastimes during the evening with prizes going to Mrs. Paul Glover, Mrs. Ida Campbell, Mrs. Smith Tucker, Jr., Mrs. L. C. Edmiston, Mrs. Gerry Hanna and Mrs. Charles McConnell. Mrs. Joe Howley won the door prize.

The guest of honor was presented with an array of personal gifts.

At the close of the evening a luncheon was served with Mrs. Dorothy Shouff, mother of the honoree, and Mrs. Leo Wolf assisting the hostess.

Miss Shouff will become the bride of Joseph William Sullivan, B. M. 2-C. of Pittsburgh.



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## Outlook For Building Construction Next Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—(INS)—The Commerce Department today labeled the over-all outlook on building construction for early 1946 as "pessimistic with serious shortages plaguing the industry."

Dealers' inventories of such construction materials as cast iron pipe, lumber and lumber products are virtually exhausted, the department said.

### Current Outlook

The department's construction division described the current outlook for materials as follows:

Steel—If the strike called for Jan. 14 does not materialize, outlook is good, otherwise priorities may have to be reinstated.

Cast Iron Pipe—Production improving but supply still short; some evidence of a return of labor to the industry and of foundry reopening.

Portland Cement—Now in ample supply, but lack of coal and manpower impeding building up of inventories.

Building Blocks—Orders increas-

ing; demand arising from expanding construction volume can be met by increased manpower.

Concrete Pipe Plants—Operating to capacity of present labor supply; adequate labor supply dependent on wage increases.

Structural Insulating Board—No improvement in manpower; increasing demand prevents building up of inventories.

Asphalt Roofing, Siding, Felt—Heavy demands by floor covering and automotive industries causing shortages for construction; backlog of orders continues heavy.

Lumber Situation

Lumber—Production declining; labor difficulties in winter producing areas, with costs-price relationships and continued manpower shortages principal contributing factors; mill and distributors' stocks at an all-time low.

Hard Wood Flooring—Not keeping pace with construction demands.

Wood Shingles—Current produc-

tion negligible; shortage of labor and logs are deterrents.

Plywood—Production off but some gains reported in warehouse inventories.

Metal Insect Screen Cloth—Civilian demand now 200 per cent above normal pre-war year.

Hardware and Hand Tools—Less expensive hardware short due to lack of gray iron castings; hand tools, ladders and wheelbarrows in some supply.

Electrical Materials (Fixtures and wiring appliances)—Factory shipments of supplies will lag behind orders two to three months and fixtures from three to six months.

Clearniness usually takes care of the bug problem. This means cleanliness of body and dwelling and premises.

Soap and water keep the body in pretty good condition if they are used.

If a dwelling and its surroundings are kept clean and sanitary the bug problem will not be very troublesome.

One insanitary property can spoil a whole neighborhood. One insanitary apartment can spoil a whole block.

We have a war on all the time—the war against bugs.

Most people call it "hard coal," but, in the mineralogist's scale of hardness, anthracite is only slightly harder than rock shale.

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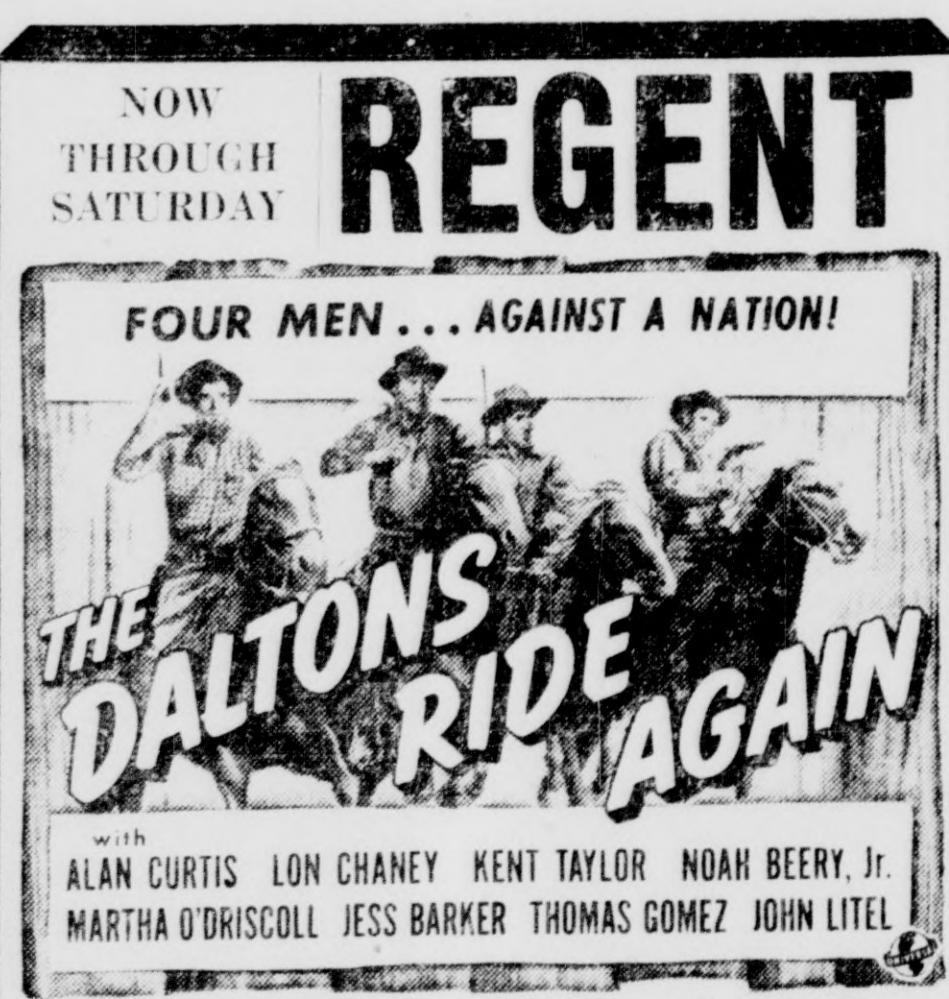
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## County In Final Battle To Reach E Bond Quota

Coming into the closing minutes of the "E" bond campaign, Lawrence county seems a possibility to complete its quota of \$1,320,000 but unless some artificial respiration is applied, the county will be lucky to finish in second place in the Fort Pitt area. Today Lawrence is fighting it out with Butler for second place with Indiana leading the pack with a 99 per cent average. Lawrence has 94.2 and Butler 94.5.

The Boy Scouts have been out during the holidays selling bonds and a surprising number of sales have been made. Many people have purchased additional bonds and others who had not been solicited have purchased.

The drive closes on the night of December 31. All "E" bonds purchased up to and including that day will be credited to the county's standing in the "E" bond race. Lawrence county can finish the eighth war loan with a successful record if the "E" bond quota can be met as all other quotas have been met and surpassed.

### Napoleon Admirer Stops His Visits To Society Exhibit

LT. A. L. SHOOFF ARRIVES IN TOKYO

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28—(INS)—An admirer of Napoleon, who for 15 years paid an annual visit to the little general's death mask at the Philadelphia Historical Society of Pennsylvania, was reported "lost" by the society.

In a circuit announcement of its activities, the society declared that the visitor has not been seen since the past four or five years but prior to that visited a case in which Napoleon's death mask was displayed.

He would stand there in reverence for a few minutes and then salute, turn about and walk out of the building, the society reported.

The visitor, who spoke only once to a staff member, said he was a Frenchman.

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## Strike Threat In Argentina Today

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 28. (INS)—A general strike threatened Argentina today as the nation's employer groups refused to accept a government order for general wage increases and year-end bonus of one month's salary.

One thousand employers' representatives declared the decree "unconstitutional from every angle and designed solely to favor the presidential candidacy of Col. Juan D. Peron," ousted former dictator of Argentina.

The decree last week ordered increases of from 15 to 25 per cent. Peron already has organized a labor party endorsing him for president.

Kids Damage Ice At Skating Pond

Chairman Cecil Suber of the mayor's recreation committee reported today that kids in the vicinity of the Mahoning avenue skating pond, have been causing a lot of damage during the recent set of weather.

The boys have broken holes in the ice and have also thrown a lot of rocks on top of the ice. This will have to be cleared away when it freezes again in order to make the pond usable.

A warning is issued to the boys to keep off the pond until it freezes up again.

LT. A. L. SHOOFF ARRIVES IN TOKYO

LT. A. L. Shoooff, U. S. A., has arrived in Tokyo where he is attached to the Sixth Army General headquarters according to a telegram received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Shoooff, of 1019 Wilmington avenue.

Li. Shoooff, who graduated from West Point in May, was transferred to Fort Benning, Ga., to California, then on to Tucson for several weeks before proceeding to Japan.

SPENDING HOLIDAYS HERE

Major and Mrs. Penrose S. Mellinger have been spending the holidays at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. Lee Mellinger, of Winter avenue.

Major Mellinger will return to Boston, where he is in charge of the U. S. Signal Corps' Liaison Office at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Miss Emily Johnson of Philadelphia, Mrs. Mellinger's sister, is also a guest in the home.

LIBERTY GRANGE

LIBERTY Grange will hold its regular meeting Wednesday evening January 2 when William H. M. Calhoun, pomona master, will install new elected officers. The meeting is being held on Wednesday evening instead of Tuesday at 8 o'clock.

With New Castle Afro Americans

McNARNEY Scores French Attitude

French Failure To Agree With Other Allied Powers In German Causes Concern

A special program will be held at the St. Luke A. M. E. Zion church on Monday night, old year's night, when Mrs. Virginia Heath Williams, national Gospel singer of Pittsburgh, and her accompanist, Miss Louise Curtis, will present a program of well known spirituals. Mrs. Williams and Miss Curtis have made several appearances here in the past and appeared for the McKinney Bluebird Second Baptist church and St. Luke's church. The service is open to the public to watch out the old year and welcome the new.

AUTO FIRE REPORTED

City firemen were called to the vicinity of the Hite Service Station on North Jefferson street at 9:05 p.m. Thursday, where an auto owned by Leslie McKeeckie was found afire. The blaze was extinguished by the hose from the ladder tank fire chief James E. Thomas reports.

At 7:40 p.m. second ward firemen were called to the home of W. R. Simmell, 202 Fairmont avenue, when the hot water heater blew up, filling the house with vapor. No action was required and no damage resulted.

Nazis put more than 2,600,000 Frenchmen to work within Germany's borders.

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Department Has Been On 24-Hour  
Call For Past 30 Days; Some  
Hills Have Own Ashpile

To keep your car from skidding down the curb or slipping back down to the foot of the hill, the city street department has used an average of 50 to 60 loads of ashes on most of the snowy or icy days of the past month, according to street department director James Gibson.

On some days, as many as 67 truckloads of ashes have been needed to assure safety on the city's curvies. Some places in town need more ashes and need them oftener than other places; for example, the Youngstown Hill almost always gets slippery before any other place in the city. A large pile of ashes is kept right at this hill for the benefit of truck drivers who get stuck—the drivers can get out and shovel some ashes under the wheels of their trucks without having to wait for the street department's truck to come and help them out.

Someone is usually keeping an eye on the condition of the streets. If it isn't the head of the department or the crew which happens to be on the job at that particular time, then it's police in a cruiser. Another factor which helps the department get on the job if the roads are getting slippery is the cooperation between the state highway and city street departments. If the county roads are to show some ice, it's a sure bet that the city streets soon will, so the highway department tips off the street department and they both go to work.

But just in case none of the officials notice the need for ashes, there is one final guarantee that the department finds out—the telephone calls from irate citizens who get stuck.

## EDENBURG

### Dr. Bryn J. Hovde Tells Educators Of Present Crisis

Danny Toy is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Toy of Ambridge. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lease and grandsons, Marty, Jr., of Baden, spent a recent day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Schrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raub are confined to their home with illness.

Edmund List of Newport News, Va., is spending furlough with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Walter List.

Mrs. Clyde Pitzer, of Youngstown, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Leeper.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Book entertained at a family dinner in their home, recently, in honor of their son, Charles Book, A. C. M. C. of the N. A. S. Maryland.

Eugene Hoover, P. O. I-C spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoover, before leaving for Shmoekner, California.

Wilson Raub and Tom Shaffer were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Biddle, of New Castle.

Nurses Aides Enjoy  
Annual Dinner Party

Twenty-four Nurses Aides of the New Castle hospital and their guests were seated around a candlelit table for their annual turkey dinner at the Castleton hotel Thursday evening.

Favors at each place were little pin cushions given by the Sisters of St. Francis. Before the dinner, the invocation was given by Mrs. Frances Colao.

Santa Claus, in one person of Miss Margaret Capozio, presided at the gift exchange which followed the dinner, and later the guests enjoyed card playing. The prize for 500 went to Mrs. Esther Radabaugh, and the prize for bridge was won by Mrs. Marie Patch. Door prizes were awarded to Frances Halstern and Ann Rocco.

Three guests present for the party were recently discharged, Ph. 3-c Sylvia Saul, a former nurse's aide; Dorothy Uhl and Mary Lucidore.

Mrs. Margaret O'Connell and Miss Capozio were in charge of the arrangements for the dinner party.

The New Castle hospital Nurses Aides are planning a theater party which will be held sometime soon.

### Governor Orders Military Property Schools Acquired

Martin Moves To Acquire Surplus  
Property To Aid Schools  
And Colleges

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The Department of Public Instruction was ordered today by Gov. Edward Martin to supervise administration and acquisition of surplus federal military property schools and colleges.

Following a conference with representatives of school districts and the department, the governor reported that Superintendent Francis E. Haas has been designated to set up the proper organization in his department to act for the school districts, colleges and libraries.

Governor Martin explained that the surplus property did not include emergency housing facilities.

Pennsylvania State College has been using trailers to help alleviate the housing shortage for students while Washington and Jefferson was considering a similar move, he said.

Local school districts, he explained, had experienced "a great deal of difficulty in obtaining surplus government property."

Simultaneously, the department reported that under a government ruling education institutions may purchase surplus property "at a discount of 40 per cent from what usually equals the wholesale price."

## HARLANSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hunt have bought the home belonging to Mrs. Esther McConnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Melele Bale have bought the store owned by Carl Kneram.

Among the sick at this time are Raymond Bell, William Dean and Mrs. W. Schlippe and Mrs. Elizabeth Dight.

Mrs. Esther McConnell was taken to the Jamison hospital on Dec. 25. Her condition is fair.

Rev. T. C. Henderson preached at the Presbyterian church last Sunday on account of the illness of Rev. Grantall.

P. O. I-c Henry Alman has gone to Cherry Point, N. C., after a short furlough at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Sigler and James Sigler from Apollo and Miss Mary Ewing, Robert Ewing and Joan Ewing from Turtle Creek were at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Humphrey for Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Kheram and family attended a family dinner and reunion at the home of Mrs. Alice Corvea, New Castle, on Christmas. Capt. and Mrs. Lester Corvea, Mr. Corvea being honorably discharged, Miss Mildred Corvea from Philadelphia, who was a WAVES and is now honorably discharged; Seaman 2-c and Mrs. Claude Sharpe, Mr. Sharpe being honorably discharged from the navy. All were guests at the Christmas dinner.

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Large Box Nabisco Shredded <b>Wheat . . . 2 for 23c</b>	No. 2½ Can Fancy Mix of Pear and <b>Peaches . . . . . 33c</b>	2-lb. Pkg. Supreme <b>Soap Powder . . . . . 35c</b>
1-lb. Box Nabisco <b>Sky-Flakes . . . . . 21c</b>	1-lb. Can Fancy Cranberry <b>Sauce . . . . . 19c</b>	Unilever <b>Soap . . . . . 3 bars 20c</b>
1-lb. Box Giola <b>Macaroni . . . . . 53c</b>	No. 2 Can Fancy <b>Pumpkin . . . . . 2 for 27c</b>	1-lb. Jug <b>Clorox . . . . . 27c</b>
1-lb. Primitiva Pure Egg <b>Noodles 2 pkgs. 29c</b>	No. 2 Can Argo Sugar <b>Peas . . . . . 2 for 25c</b>	1-lb. Box Argo Gloss <b>Starch . . . . . 35c</b>
1-lb. Sack Fancy Pastry <b>Flour . . . . . 23c</b>	1-lb. Can Fancy Pork and Beans . . . . . 3 cans 29c	Waldorf Toffee <b>Tissue . . . . . 6 rolls 25c</b>
1-lb. Box Large Size Dried <b>Prunes . . . . . 33c</b>	No. 2 Can Libby's Whole Kernel <b>Corn . . . . . 2 for 31c</b>	Ba-Bo . . . . . 2 cans 23c

## Seventh Ward

evening for their annual Christmas party, which was entertained by Miss Grace Kelly of 522 North Cedar street.

Various games of contest were the diversion of the evening.

A splendid lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Ellen Lee, and grandmother, Mrs. Ella Durdin.

The class' next meeting is scheduled for Friday evening, January 16.

**Pfc. Keith W. King Granted Discharge**

Among those recently receiving an honorable discharge from the U.S. service was Pfc. Keith W. King of the U.S. Marines. He was attached to the armed forces for two years and overseas in the Pacific area for about a year.

Pfc. King was in the following theaters: Okinawa, Saipan, Shima, Shima and Chinese. He was awarded the Burma-India-China ribbon and one battle star for Saipan.

He resides with his wife Betty and three children of 501 South Rue street, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. King of 409 Eighth street.

**TIME OFF CLUB**

Mrs. Eleanor Johnson, Clayton town, entertained the Time Off club at her home on Thursday evening.

Three tables of 500 were in play with prizes going to Mrs. Mary

Emma Diller, Mrs. Josephine Pivovar and Mrs. Clair Weaver. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The club will meet in two weeks, January 10, in the home of Mrs. Walter Wrona, Miller street.

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**Soldier Son Gets Back From Europe**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Domenick of 116 West Cherry street received a phone call from their son, Pfc. Matt P. Domenick, saying he had arrived in New York from Europe aboard the USS George Washington. He was proceeding to Indianapolis separation center, where he expected to receive his honorable discharge.

**OFFICERS MEETING**

Tom DeVivo, president of Sons of Columbus New Castle Council No. 74, calls an official meeting for Thursday evening, January 3, at St. Margaret's hall, commencing at 7:30.

Alderman T. C. Rainey, corresponding secretary,

**G. I. A. TO THE B. L. E.**

G. I. A. to the B. L. E. met Thursday afternoon in the green room of the Y. W. C. A. At the next meeting in the same place, on January 10, an installation of officers will take place. The group meets at 1:30 p.m.

**SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS**

Mrs. Harry Evans of Pittsburgh formerly of the ward, has returned after visiting with friends and relatives here.

Cpl. William A. Miller of Camp Shelby, Miss., is on five days furlough visiting with his wife, Mrs. Ruth Miller and son Robert and mother-in-law, Mrs. J. C. King of Eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Deegan and son Larry and Mrs. Deegan's mother, Mrs. J. Smith of Chattanooga, Tenn., are visiting with the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah Deegan of Eighth street.

**A platform outlining educational improvements will be voted on by the 600 delegates and resolutions will be adopted prior to adjournment.**

**Three Pardons Are Granted By Martin**

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Three men had pardons today from Gov. Edward Martin upon recommendations of the State Pardons Board while the State Parole Board considered the prison records of 12 others granted commutations by the chief executive.

Pardons included one for William J. Haugh of Allegheny county, given a suspended sentence May 15, 1940, on a charge of assault and battery.

The board recommendations were from the cases heard at the November session. In addition to the pardons and commutations, the board held 13 cases under advisement, continued 11 and refused 78 clemency pleas.

The cases of Joseph J. and Philip Bruno, sentenced to life terms for participating in the slaying of five Democratic paraders at Kelayres on election eve 11 years ago, were held under advisement.

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Name Delegates To Committees Of State Education

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The names of 14 delegates elected to committees of the Pennsylvania State Education association were announced today at the closing session of the annual convention in Harrisburg. They were:

Legislative—Fred Barclay, Homestead; William E. Griffith, Somerset; Fred W. Hader, Allentown; Lisle W. Lear, Hellwood; and Lewis N. Snyder, Sellersville.

Revolutions—C. F. Adamson, Meadville; Ray M. Cole, Bloomsburg; W. W. Eschelman, Stowe; Andrew Peter, East Deer Township, Allegheny county; Michael J. Ryan, Bethlehem; and Kenneth L. Springer, York.

Teachers Welfare—H. H. Denison, Erie; Walter R. Douthett, Darby; Miss Mary Klimensmith, Greensburg.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The Pennsylvania State Education association prepared to close its three-day annual convention at Harrisburg today with addresses by Gov. Edward Martin and Capt. Harold E. Stassen, former governor of Minnesota.

Miss Kathleen M. Champlin, of Philadelphia, was slated to be introduced as president-elect of the association. A teacher of the Childs Elementary school, she succeeds C. Herman Gross of Erie. Norman C. Brillhart, of Reading, was defeated for the post by a vote of 307 to 321.

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## Filipino Freedom May Wreck Sugar Market, Cubans Say

Duty-Free Shipments From Islands  
May Destroy Cuba's Principal Work

HAVANA, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Privileges that would accompany the independence of the Philippines today have the Cuban sugar industry on edge.

Several bills are pending in the U.S. congress which would grant the Philippines their independence on next July 4.

Cuban sugarmen are by no means opposed to independence for the Pacific Islands. But they feel deep anxiety over sections of the bills which would permit the Philippines to export an annual quota of 850,000 tons of sugar duty-free to the United States for a period of 28 years.

**Treaty Violation**

The duty-free quota is considered by the Cubans first as a violation of the Cuban-American reciprocity trade treaty of 1902, which grants Cuba a tariff preference of 20 per cent over the exports of any other nation to the United States.

Secondly, the duty-free quota to the Philippines would throw open Cuba's principal market—the U.S.—to low production cost sugars with which Cuba, having higher wages, cannot compete.

The Cuban senate has opened its hearings in the hopes of acquiring data on which to recommend a revision of the reciprocity trade treaty in order to protect Cuba's interest.

Pending such revision, the Cuban sugar handling negotiations for the sale of the 1946 crop to the United States has been insisting on a deal for three crops in order to have a market assured for at least that period of time.

**Vital Product**

The importance of sugar to Cuba can be realized from her export

figures. From 1902 to 1944, her total exports were \$9,857,824,000, of which sugar and its by-products amounted to \$7,942,073,000, or 81 per cent.

The value of the United States sugar market to Cuba also is shown in her exportation records. In 1941, out of a total of \$167,026,000 of sugar and by-products, \$137,922,109 went to the United States.

But while the legislation dangles, Cuba is willing to ship its entire 1945 sugar production—minus 550,000 tons—without awaiting conclusion of the sugar contract.

**How To Avoid Divorce  
Keep Sense Of Humor**

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—(INS)—If your husband's habit of chewing loudly on celery, whistling while he shaves or napping after dinner drives you into a frenzy, beware.

From such trivial matters do divorcees result, say the judges of Chicago's divorce courts.

Judge Randolph Desort, who for years has listened to the complaints of angry, bewildered wives and husbands, declared:

"Men and women today give up too easily. Table manners, radio programs, petty jealousies, habits of dress and all manner of trivialities start marriages on the wrong track."

The judges' word to wives is relax. Take it easy and let your husband do the same. And don't neglect your appearance.

To the husbands, the advice was don't take the little woman for granted.

To both parties they said—keep your sense of humor. And don't neglect the good old practice of "kiss and make up."

**Family Re-United  
After Eleven Years**

For the first time in eleven years members of the Rose and Mills families, brothers and sisters, of this city and Miami, Florida, united together in the Herbert Rose home at 302 Boyles avenue.

The families who gathered together for a sumptuous turkey dinner sat down at 7 o'clock Christmas evening to a table with appointments for 15. The house was pleasingly decorated in the Christmas motif for the unusual event.

Attending the family reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mills and daughter, Joan, of Oil City; Miss Delphine Mills, of Butler; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mills, Sr., and two sons, James Stewart and Charles, Jr., of Miami, Florida, and Mrs. Howard Kelley, of Miami.

Charles Mills, Sr., has recently returned from overseas service in Guam, where he served as a chief machinist mate in the navy.

The Miami guests of the Roses will return to their home in Florida next Wednesday.

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**Twin Brothers Are  
Veteran Engineers**

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Two 24-year-old twin brothers have been engineers for the Boston and Maine Railroad for 50 years. Both pilot the same type of freight engine, both have the same initials and both are widowers.

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## Thousand Fewer Motor Fatalities Than In Year '41

**State Record However Is Showing  
Increase Over Past Year Says  
Revenue Department**

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The Revenue department estimated today that the total number of motor vehicle fatalities in Pennsylvania during 1945 was expected to top the 1940 mark, approximately 1000 fewer deaths compared with the peak year of 1941.

A department spokesman explained that between January 1 and October 31, a total of 1033 persons were killed in automobile accidents in Pennsylvania and that fatalities were running "six to seven per cent higher" than 1944.

More than 220,000 automobile accidents occurred in the commonwealth between 1941 and 1944, he said.

In the 10-month period of this year, the number of persons killed on rural highways totaled 544 while traffic fatalities in urban areas numbered 439.

**124 Killed Last Year**

Last year, 1244 persons were killed and 29,928 injured in 42,616 automobile accidents in Pennsylvania, the spokesman said. In rural areas, 625 deaths occurred last year while traffic accidents in cities claimed the lives of 619 persons.

Four years ago, 83,463 motor vehicle mishaps took place in the state causing the deaths of 2345 persons and the injury of 60,459 others. Thirteen hundred persons were killed in automobile mishaps in rural areas in 1941 while 1945 others lost their lives in motor accidents in cities.

In 1942, the first year of the war, traffic accidents in Pennsylvania killed 1742 persons and injured 41,122, the spokesman said. He explained that 897 persons were killed in rural areas while 845 others met death in cities and boroughs. A total of 59,277 motor vehicle mishaps occurred in 1942.

During 1943 a total of 37,418 automobile accidents were reported to the department areas. A total of 27,312 persons were injured in 1943 in similar accidents two years ago.

## Whiskey Rationing To Be Continued

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Whiskey rationing in Pennsylvania was continued today by the state liquor board until at least February 2.

Chairman Frederick T. Gilder announced that the board had sanctioned two 14-day rationing periods beginning January 7 and that Pennsylvanians would be permitted to purchase one-fifth of a gallon plus a pint during each of the periods.

A special supply of 14 blends of rationed whiskey will be available without restriction.

During both periods licensees will be allotted 90 per cent of their former normal purchases.

Civilians will be permitted to purchase their quotas at the 375 state stores by presenting war ration book number three while members of the armed forces must submit military cards.

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**GALBREATH-MCREADY**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Galbreath was the scene of a beautiful wedding Christmas night at 6:45.

Edna Myel Galbreath and John Ira McReady, son of Mr. and Mrs. John McReady, Sr., of New Galilee, Pa., were married. Rev. K. T. Yahn, Methodist pastor officiating using the single ring ceremony. The bride was beautifully dressed in a powder blue suit with accessories to match, not any attendants.

Following the marriage a wedding dinner was served by the bride's mother.

The couple left for a week honeymoon trip to Niagara Falls after which they will make their home with the groom's parents for the present time.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. John McReady, Sr., Mrs. Virginia Bright and family, Pat McReady and Alvin Whan, New Galilee, R. D. Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Langnot of Harrisburg, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirchey and son, Dale, East Palestine, Ohio, Miss Dolores McFarland of New Castle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles and Mr. and Mrs. John Galbreath.

**HOME FROM LONG SERVICE**

Pvt. Walter Galbreath arrived home from France, having received his discharge at Indiana Gap, after serving four and a half years in the U. S. Army, 28 months overseas. He was glad to get back to Pennsylvania. Walter is the son of Fred Galbreath, Main street.

The Greek sculptor, Phidias, made an ivory statue of the Olympian Jupiter of such wonderful beauty that it was considered a misfortune to die without seeing it.

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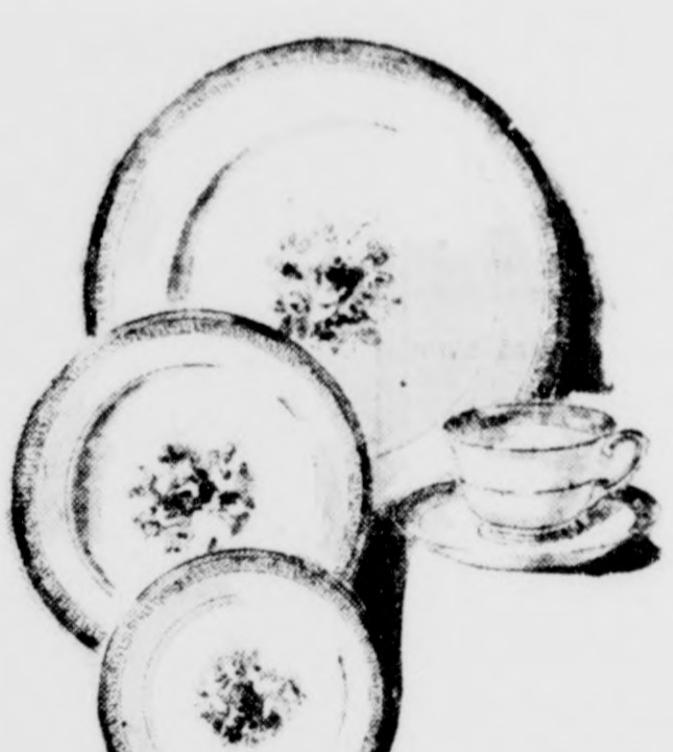
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## Expect Guffey To Run Again

Senator Has Not As Yet An-nounced Intentions But Hat's Probably In Ring

### OTHER NEWS OF STATE AFFAIRS

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—U. S. Sen. Joseph F. Guffey was expected to be a candidate for re-election next year but has not announced his candidacy . . . Guffey, told newsmen covering the Democratic state committee meeting at Harrisburg he would not have anything to say "until February 9th" on that day, candidates may circulate nomination petitions . . . Guffey, Pennsylvania's senior senator, was elected to the upper chamber in 1934 and re-elected during the Roosevelt landslide of 1940.

In his speech to the state committee Guffey praised the brilliant and courageous leadership of former State Chairman David L. Lawrence . . . "I say this with the full realization that the record shows Dave Lawrence and I have had our share of disagreements on party policy, even to the extent of carrying those differences to the rank and file of the party for decision," Guffey said. "One thing those differences demonstrated clearly is that Dave Lawrence is a man of decision, ready to fight to the end for what he believes most beneficial for the party" . . . although he mentioned no names, Guffey told the committee that the party to-

day had "a choice of many excellent candidates who will bring strength and prestige to our cause."

The department of internal affairs has reported that a survey of 50 of Pennsylvania's 67 counties showed that in 1945 the federal government owned \$187,000,000 worth of property exempt from local taxation . . . "figuring conservatively an average of 25 mills of local taxation, the loss on this property in these counties amounts to almost \$5,000,000," the department said in its monthly bulletin. "It is quite possible that total actual losses from federal exemption run from seven to ten million dollars annually." This situation is general throughout the United States because local government is largely financed by real estate taxes."

The Pennsylvania Federationist, organ of the Pennsylvania Federation of Labor (AFL), has pointed out that surveys conducted by the U. S. employment service indicate that workers who have lost their jobs since the end of the war with Japan were refusing new jobs because the wages were from 34 to 53 per cent lower than what they had been earning . . . "Labor surveys also have disclosed that many discharged service men are refusing to take jobs at cut-rate wages, preferring to get along on unemployment compensation until a better break turns up," the paper said.

The state commerce department has pointed out that products valued at \$6,500,000,000 were produced annually in 1950 Pennsylvania manufacturing plants by more than 1,450,000 employees . . . the department also claimed that 99 per cent of the anthracite mined in the U. S. was produced in Pennsylvania.

The first operating table ever built for large animals was installed in the animal hospital at the University of Pennsylvania.

A veteran of 53 months in the Army Air Forces, Capt. Francis B. Alexander, husband of Ella Alexander, route 1, New Castle, has been discharged at Santa Ana, Calif.

Pfc. Frank J. Cusin, 1025 Croton

avenue, has been given his discharge from the service at Fort Lewis, Wash.

Philip R. Winter has turned in his Navy blue to the Shoeman's, Calif., naval supply center. Seaman Winter lives at 501 Martin street.

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Mrs. Barton is survived only by her husband, and one grand child, David B. Barton, Jr., a private in the U.S. Army.

**Allied Positions  
Are Being Shelled**

BATAVIA, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Allied positions at Ugandan were shelled with 75-mm. cannon today by Indonesian forces advancing from the previously-acquired Ambawau instrument camp area south of Semarang.

A sniper killed a British officer in Buitenzorg, where Indonesians have adopted the Japanese tactic of shouting as they charge in an attempt to intimidate British Indian troops.

**UNEMPLOYMENT PAYMENTS**

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—State Treasurer Ramsey S. Black announced today that unemployment compensation payments to jobs Pennsylvania during the week ended December 21 totaled \$1,792,834 while former service men received \$1,345,009 in the same period.

He said the previous weeks disbursements to jobless workers amounted to \$1,809,885 while returned veterans were paid \$1,582,064.

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**SITTING OUT COLD SPELL**

Most of the rabbits were still sitting out the cold spell, but here and there the snow story indicated where a cotton-tail had snooded around, in his own back yard, picking up a little bark salad. There were no rabbit tracks in the pas-

## IN THE OPEN

The powder snow lay deep and cold across the face of the valley. Unmarred by passage of man or beast, the clean white page awaited the imprinting of the latest news, largely a chronicle of the nocturnal doings in the neighborhood. For the past night or two this newspaper of the snow had been in the "make-ready" stage, waiting until hunger drove the wild folk from cover. The numbing zero weather had combined with monotonous regularity, but finally there came a night of activity in the valley thickets and the first edition went to press.

A house cat on the prowl had come down into the valley to try his luck among the tufts where the meadow mice reide. Straight down over the steep bank came his clear-cut trail, to reconnoiter a brush pile or two and then quarter across the mousing grounds. Luck had been against him, although his trail showed that he had covered the area thoroughly. After traversing a short section of the bottomlands he headed back to his farm house home, his trail leading straight up over the bank to the highway.

**REVEALS FOXES JOURNEY**

A fox, probably a large red male, had made use of the highway built along the edge of the creek by contractor J. Frost. The inch or so of snow which covered this turnpike related clearly his journey close in against the overhanging bank, with an eye out for whatever might pop up in the way of a heavy brush had left a tell-tale mark in the snow, identifying the traveler beyond doubt. He had come out onto the top snow line, the ice of a dead snag and had been proceeding along the middle ground of his own business, when a screech owl suddenly stopped for him out of the darkness. Some sixth sense had warned him of the attack. The snow story told graphically of his quick dive beneath the surface to safety. Imprinted over the spot where the mouse had dived were the clear tracings of the wide-spread wings of the owl, who had struck and missed.

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Hall will be one of the liveliest

places in town New Year's Eve.

Instead of closing up at the usual

time, the youth center will

remain open until midnight so that

the youngsters may dance there

until the minimum shows open, ac-

cording to Mrs. Beulie Clark, super-

visor of the center. Christmas decora-

tions will still be on for the New

Year's Eve celebration.

The center will be closed on New

Year's Day, and will be open Wed-

nesday evening for the regular

Swing Toddle dancing. There will

be no Thursday evening dancing for a

while, until the committee finds

more demand from the older groups

of those in their late teens and early

twenties, Mrs. Clark added.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

**NEW CASTLE HOSPITAL**

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Kline, 15 High street; Mrs. Eva

Sherry, West Washington street;

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pum; Patricia Flannery, R. D. 6

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## Deny Bodies Of 31 Trapped Miners Have Been Found

PINEVILLE, Ky., Dec. 28.—(INS)—Reports that the bodies of 31 coal miners entombed far inside a mine near Pineville had been found were met with emphatic denials today by company and mine rescue officials.

Rescue efforts, the officials said, have proceeded slowly since the miners were trapped by an explosion 7,000 feet from the mine entrance at 8 o'clock Wednesday.

**Still 3,000 Feet Away**

Latest word from the rescue workers was that they still were fighting fire in the main tunnel 3,000 feet from where the miners were trapped, and that they expected another 24 hours would be required to reach the place where the blast occurred.

The reports that bodies of the men had been located were widely circulated last night among members of the miners' families who have been keeping vigil near the entrance to the pit four miles from Pineville.

John Lawson, father of Reed Lawson, one of the entombed men, said a member of the rescue squad informed him that "some of the men had been found." Another man who came out of the mine reported that eight bodies had been

**Deny Men Reached**

Contradicting these reports were statements by James F. Bryson, director of the rescue operations, and by officials of the Kentucky Creek Coal Co., operator of the No. 1 mine in which the 31 men were trapped. They denied that the rescue squads had progressed far enough to reach the men, and said the task was going ahead slowly because of the fire still raging within the diggings.

None of the officials and rescue crewmen held out any hope that the entombed men would be found alive, and this same outlook was expressed by relatives of the men and other miners at the scene.

## Wave Announces Her Engagement

GROVE CITY, Dec. 27—Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Jamison, Woodland avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Lou, now an aerological officer in the WAVES at Patuxent River, Md., to Frank O. Henschel, discharged Navy pilot of Scotch Plains, N. J.

The engagement of the Jamisons' son, Pfc. John Jamison, stationed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., to Miss Janice Lucille Crawford of this city, was recently announced.

**APPLY FOR LICENSE**  
BUTLER, Dec. 28—Robert Elmer Jones, Bessemer, Pa., and Elsie Virginia Ek, Bessemer, have applied at the Butler county court house for a license to wed.

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150	27.55	19.13	14.96	12.45	10.77
200	36.65	25.34	19.74	16.40	14.18
250	45.75	33.66	29.57	24.25	20.93
300	54.85	41.97	35.48	29.13	25.19
500	114.05	83.25	65.00	50.00	40.64
750	171.25	122.56	93.00	73.00	62.81
1000	228.45	166.87	129.00	103.00	88.81

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## Survey Probes Exact Locations Of House Shortage

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 28.—(INS)—With only three days remaining in the 19-county Fort Pitt area Victory Loan campaign, war finance committee officials today urged western Pennsylvanians to "dig down" and help put the drive across.

The Fort Pitt area has only 79.3

of its quota.

Most of the money raised in the Victory Loan drive is to be used for rehabilitation and hospitalization of wounded soldiers.

**HOLDUP VICTIM  
VERY FORTUNATE**

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Morris Wittenberg, a Wynnewood grocery store proprietor, was robbed of \$15—and he told police today that he considered himself "very fortunate."

The well-dressed gunman were so nervous, Wittenberg said, that during the robbery he cried out:

"For God's sake, stop shaking—that gun might go off."

## SON BORN IN AUTO

LIGONIER, Pa., Dec. 28.—(INS)—Mrs. Curtis Shawley, wife of a soldier, today was reported to be "resting well" in a Latrobe hospital after she gave birth to a son in an automobile while enroute to the hospital. She lives in Cook township.

## SINGER SEWING CENTER

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January classes are now being organized. Enroll this week for Dressmaking or Home Decoration instruction.

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Cocoa . . . . .	½-lb. pkg. 11c
Wheatena . . . . .	pkg. 24c
Flour . . . . .	5-lb. sck. 33c
Bluing . . . . .	btl. 9c
Ribbon Sliced Pickled Beets . . . . .	16-oz. jar 17c
Prune Juice . . . . .	qt. btl. 29c
Oyster Crackers . . . . .	lb. pkg. 18c
Grahams . . . . .	lb. pkg. 19c
N. B. C. Premium Crackers . . . . .	lb. pkg. 19c
N. B. C. Graham Crackers . . . . .	lb. pkg. 19c

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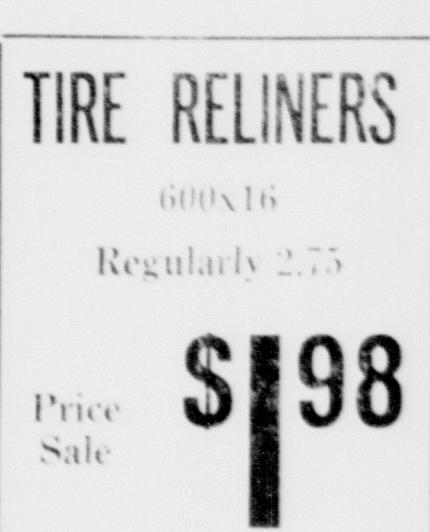
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## Democrats Plan Rural Campaign

Concerted Drive To Capture Control Of Rural Counties Is Being Planned

### OTHER NEWS OF STATE AFFAIRS

HARRISBURG Dec. 28.—(INS)—A concerted drive to capture control of Pennsylvania's rural counties was expected to be made by the Democratic party during the 1946 campaign. State Chairman J. Warren Mickle has promised that he would "give special attention" to the rural counties. "We must regain the ground we have lost in recent years in some of these counties," Mickle said. "I am confident that this can be done if we can only get across to the farmer the simple truth that his prosperity and well-being are dependent upon the maintenance of a high standard of living and adequate purchasing power for the industrial worker."

The impact of the train carried the car 200 yards. Troop trains and other rail traffic were delayed.

**Appleton Fifth Reader Is Needed**

Library Asks Citizens To Look Among Old Books; Elderly Visitor Wants Poem In Reader

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She doesn't want to buy it—just to borrow it long enough to look up a favorite poem which she can not find anywhere else. The lady is eighty-two years old, and staying in New Castle for the winter, away from her home in Ohio and her own Appleton Fifth reader.

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Mashed Potatoes Apple Sauce  
Bread and Butter Coffee  
55c  
Vegetable Soup  
Hamburger on Bun  
Coffee or Tea  
35c

Whatever your favorite recreation, it is available with new thrills in Pennsylvania," the state commerce department has explained in a pamphlet entitled "All In Pennsylvania". The commonwealth's recreational activities, the booklet said, included fresh-water sunbathing and fishing at Erie, dozens of mountain streams to be whitewatered for trout, and riding and hiking on state trails, trails scattered throughout all 67 counties.

Injuries Fatal To Second Fireman In False Alarm Crash

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**Two Are Killed In Alliance Accident**

ALLIANCE, O. Dec. 28.—Funeral arrangements were completed last night for H. Neile Woodward, 56, and Eugene Craven, 32, Alliance pattern makers, who were killed instantly, when Woodward's car was struck by an eastbound Pennsylvania passenger train at the Freshley road crossing, three miles west of here Thursday. They were employed in the machine shop of Woodward's brother, Ralph, near the scene of the tragedy.

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### Soviet Aims In Occupied Germany

Russian Military Governor Of Saxony Cites Russia's Aims In Country

BERLIN, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The Russian military governor of Saxony said today Soviet aims in occupied Germany were suppression of military industries, isolation of war criminals, and control of German self-government agencies.

Maj. Gen. Alexander G. Kotikov, veteran of the Battle of Berlin, received a group of correspondents touring Soviet-occupied Germany at his Halle headquarters decorated with a huge painting of Generalissimo Joseph Stalin.

He emphasized that Russian control did not include interference with German churches because "gods were not made there."

**Plants Dismantled**

Kotikov said many plants manufacturing poison gas and other chemicals had been dismantled by the Russians, but transportation difficulties hindered removal of machinery and other items.

He added that the chief difficulty in uncovering leading Nazis was that now "every Blue Nazi tries to show me he was a small one."

The general estimated that Soviet occupation would last "long enough to prevent aggression," but declined to estimate how long that would be. An attempt is being made to teach Russian without compulsion in German schools.

Two thousand estates of more than 240 acres each have been di-

vided up and distributed among landless peasants.

Fraternization of Red Army troops and German civilians is not permitted. But Kotikov admitted the rule was difficult to enforce.

**T-3 Joseph J. Botka Leaves Army Duties**

Arriving home from Indiana Gap after receiving his honorable discharge from the army, T-3 Joseph J. Botka has completed over three years of service with the armed forces.

Serving in the European theater with the First, Third and Ninth Armies and with the American forces in Austria, Joseph's unit was activated for active participation in the ninth army's Rohr river crossing, when that unit made contact at the Elbe river with the Russian army.

T-3 Botka, who enlisted in 1942 with a tank ordnance company, supporting the fifth armored division saw service in Austria, England, France, Luxembourg, Belgium, Holland and Germany.

The discharged veteran received four battle stars for the battles of northern France, Ardennes, Rhine-land and central Europe.

Civilian Botka is the son of Rev. and Mrs. J. Botka, 1304 Huron Avenue.

**Capt. W. K. Graham**

CORALVILLE, Pa., Dec. 28.—(INS)—Funeral services will be held Saturday for Captain William K. Graham, 44, son of Charles J. Graham, president of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad, who died in his home at Coropolis.

The News Want Ads For Results

### Employment Fight To Be Continued By State Governors

Meet At Capitol To Return U. S. Employment Service To States

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The executive committee of the conference of governors was slated to day to meet at Washington January 4 and 5 to discuss "the next step" in their fight for the return of the U. S. employment service to the states.

Gov. Edward Martin, conference chairman, said that despite President Truman's veto of the bill which would have returned the services, loaned to the federal government in April, 1942, the governors believe the agencies could be better administered by states.

"I've stated on more than one occasion that I feel the states can more effectively handle the service than the federal government and what has occurred since V-J Day makes me more convinced than ever that this statement is correct," Governor Martin said.

"The governors are concerned be-

cause it's another step for centralization of power in Washington," he added. "The governors even feel that there is too much power in the states and that there should be more government at the local level of government."

MONONGAHELA—Old Doc Stork has been working overtime at the Monongahela Memorial hospital. A new birth record was set when three sets of twins were born at the hospital in 15 days.

CAPITAL CLOSED TUESDAY HARRISBURG Dec. 28.—(INS)—Pennsylvania's state capital was scheduled today to be closed January 1 in observance of New Year's day. Business will be resumed January 2.

## TIRE RATIONING ENDS!

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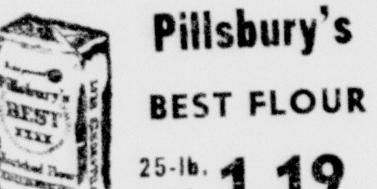
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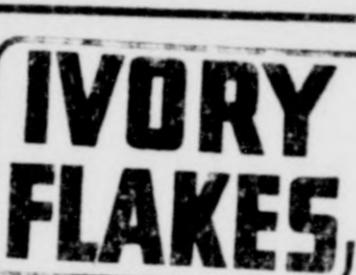
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Large Fancy PEPPERS	lb. 19c
Leaf LETTUCE	lb. 27c
Large Size Texas Pink GRAPEFRUIT	3 for 29c
Fresh Bleached ENDIVE	2 lbs. 39c
Fancy ONIONS	10-lb. bag 65c

Extra Fancy YAMS	Texas Grapefruit
3 lbs. 29c	10 large 59c
Fancy Texas TOMATOES	lb. 39c
Fancy Red RADISHES	bch. 5c
Calif. Navel ORANGES	doz. 29c
D'ANJOU PEARS	2 lbs. 33c
126 Size Sweet Juicy Florida ORANGES	doz. 59c
Fresh ESCAROLE	2 lbs. 19c

California Large BUDDED WALNUTS	lb. 39c
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## Liberty Ship Fights Storm

Distress Call From U. S. Ship Loaded With 5,000 Tons Of Live Bombs

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—(INS)—An urgent distress call was flashed today from a storm battered Liberty ship whose 5,000-ton load of live bombs rocking in the hold threatened to destroy the vessel 420 miles southeast of the Azores.

However, several hours later the ship, the Henry D. Thorne bound from Naples to Cape May, N. J., radioed New York that an unidentified second vessel was "standing by."

**Breaking Through**

The first message said the bombs were "breaking through the hatch."

It added:

"If they give way nothing can save us."

Officials of the Third Naval District, who received the second, and more encouraging message at 9 a.m., pointed out that, although the bombs contained explosives, they probably were not fused.

The danger was the threat of the ship cracking up with this heavy cargo battering its sides in mountainous waves.

Naval officials in New York assumed that the only persons aboard were crew members. A ship of that type normally carries a crew of about 40.

**Using Moth Spray**

do not spray the underside of a rug that has been sized. Woolback rugs, unsize, should be sprayed on both sides.

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## Combines Barbering With Violin Making

URGES

Householders To Deal Only With People Or Firms Who Are Known

Beware of slickers and swindlers." This advice was given today by Jacob C. Wachtman, executive vice president of the Greater New Castle Association.

It was his boyhood dream to be a violin maker. He found, however, that making violins in the United States was not as good a way to make a living as was cutting hair.

But he liked to make violins too,

and in the last 10 years, between cutting hair and shaving his customers, he has made 31 violins, each taking about two months to complete.

**Warn Coal Miners To Use Caution With Explosives**

JOHNSTOWN, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Caution handling of explosives was urged by the Volunteer Firemen's Association of Cambria county and vicinity in a series of warnings to district coal miners.

The warnings were prompted by the recent disastrous explosion in Ramey, Clearfield county, which brought death to a family of five.

Geistown, Fine Hall President Thomas Woodring of Nancy Glo told meeting the fatal explosion occurred when blasting powder was left near a kitchen cooking stove.

The firemen have invited an official from the state department of labor and industry to speak at their next meeting to learn what authority volunteer firemen have in investigating the storage of blasting materials in homes.

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**42 YEARS SERVICE**

ASTORIA, Ore. Dec. 28.—(INS)—Astoria's kindest postman retired after toting more than one million pounds of mail during his 42 years of service. During two world wars, Otto Gramm, 65, went out on special walks Sundays to deliver letters arriving from men overseas.

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No. 212 Tin Golden Dawn Grapefruit Sections	28c
No. 212 Can Golden Dawn Pumpkin	2 for 27c
No. 212 Can Del Monte Peaches	30c
22-oz. Jars White House Apple Butter	2 jars 49c
Chase & Sanborn COFFEE	1-lb. pkg. 27c
Gold Medal FLOUR	25-lb. sack \$1.04
HERSHEY'S COCOA	1-lb. Box 16c
SUNMAID RAISINS	2 1-lb. pkgs. 29c
LARGE SIZE PRUNES	2-lb. pkg. 29c
Del Monte Fruit COCKTAIL	No. 2½ can 38c
Milk	10 cans 85c
Pork and Beans	3 cans 29c
Neubell's Velvet Cake Flour	5-lb. bag 41c
A-1 Solution	gal. 29c
Baboo	10c
Fancy Rice	2 pkgs. 25c

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Rum Soakies . . . 69c

Burry's In Jar Sniffles . . . 39c

Burry's In Powder Dish Plum Pudding . . . 63c

Vacuum Packed Kaffee Hag lb. 37c

Snow Flax Sauerkraut, can 15c

Cranberry Sauce . . . can 23c

No. 2 Can Applesauce . . . 23c

8-oz. Pkg. Smyrna Figs . . . pkg. 25c

Dates . . . lb. 35c

Large Can Pumpkin . . . can 17c

Vegemato . . . can 37c

46-oz. Can Orange, Grapefruit Blend . . . can 47c

1 Pt. 2-oz. Can Pineapple Juice . . . can 16c

2 pkgs. 25c

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Cake Fleur SNOW-SHEEN

box 23c

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Meaty SPARE RIBS	lb. 29c
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# Philadelphia Is Hot After June Conn-Louis Bout

Quaker City Has Mammoth Stadium To Offer With Other Advantages

## MIKE JACOBS IS MUCH INTERESTED

PHILADELPHIA Dec. 28.—(INS)—The old Quaker City, quiet and una-suming, is going to town these days with Bill Penn atop city hall trying hard to swing over the Joe Louis and Billy Conn fight from New York.

And it looks as though hell get the long-awaited June heavyweight championship battle under his wide-brimmed fedora; that is if the old lures catch—and when didn't it with Uncle Mike Jacobs?

### Jacobs Is Smart

Uncle Mike knows all the pickings on his beach and—like Uncle Mike—he is—he's coming to Philadelphia shortly after Christmas to talk things over with his eyes wide open at the municipal stadium jammed with 140,000 seats and his brain doing acrobatics with figures.

In between times, hell talk with Leon L. Rains, high man on the state boxing commission and Bernard Samuel, mayor of the town which holds the merchandise on the huge stadium.

### Joe Against New York

Jacobs was given a green light by challenger Billy Conn to hold the fight anywhere he wants. Champion Joe Louis, however, is reported to have told Uncle Mike that he doesn't want to fight in New York.

Joe reportedly doesn't like New York's method of judging fights.

Commissioner Rains on logically says that "Jacobs informed me there's a better chance even chance of having the fight here."

"We surely can net two and a half million dollars or more in our stadium," he said.

"Say the fight was in New York and they had a \$2,000,000 gate, Jacobs would have to turn over 10 per cent or \$200,000 for rent whereas Jacobs could come here—with our stadium city-owned—and make it so much cheaper that there's no comparison."

### No Such Laws

The city got \$10,000 for use of the stadium for the Army-Navy game.

Another point you've got to consider: rains went on "is the fact that New York State gets five percent on all broadcasting and television. Pennsylvania has no such law."

One thing is certain. Wherever the fight is staged, the tickets will go for pretty pennies.

"They charged \$27.50 for Dempsey-Tunney in 1926," said Rains, "and we feel this one—with what money these days—should be worth \$9 for a ringside seat."

## Hugh Fullerton Taken By Death

DUNEDINE, Fla. Dec. 28.—(INS)—Hugh Fullerton, 57, 52-year-old sports columnist, died Thursday in a Dunedin hospital where he was taken following a heart attack.

Fullerton, accompanied by Mrs. Fullerton, arrived in Florida only a few days ago from his home in New York City to spend the winter.

### Another point you've got to consider:

# Pennsylvania Has High Ranking In 1945 Sport Scene

Penn And Temple Among Best In Nation In Football. Pirates Do Fairly Well

## LOOKING AHEAD TO 1946 SEASON

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Another year of sports drew to a close today and Pennsylvania team records are beginning to gather dust in their respective archives, but a short flashback highlights many memories that are destined to linger.

### Keystone teams as a whole staged a banner sports year—a fact amply demonstrated by gate receipts which surpassed all former records—and John Q. Fan got his money's worth.

#### Thrills Galore

A kaleidoscopic view of the fading sports horizon would show thrills upon thrills taking place on grid-iron, baseball fields, basketball and tennis courts and indoor arenas which will lone spring up in build.

There was Tony Minissi last weekend end run catch which enabled Navy to defeat Penn before a gasping audience of 73,000; the roar of 102,000 in Municipal stadium to watch mighty Army best its Navy opponents; the Pittsburgh Pirates staging their futile spasm drive, and hundreds of other episodes that highlighted the season.

#### Few Dismal Records

At the same time there were some pretty dismal records going into the books.

There were Philadelphia's cellar-dwelling ball teams; Pitt's futile Panthers and Steelers; Bucknell's slaughtered Bisons, and Muhlenberg's eleven which went thru a five-game schedule without a victory.

But good or bad, all teams of all sports brought crowds through the turnstiles, for despite winning or losing ways, they all played with the wholesome spirit which makes sports great.

#### Eastern Teams Lead

Giving the orchids where they are due, the eastern part of the state wound up with the bouquet on almost all counts.

Only in major league baseball did western Pennsylvania acquit itself. The Benswanger Bucos finished on the fourth rung of the National league ladder, winning 82 games against 72 losses for a season percentage of .531.

Philadelphia's major leaguers—the National league Phillies and the American loop Athletics—remained in their perennial last place berths. The Phils emerged victorious only 46 times while losing 108 for a 29% season percentage. The A's doing a little better—but not too much—better, won 52, lost 58 and wound up with .347.

#### Eagles Finish Second

The Quaker City's sole consolation was in its football teams—both collegiate and professional.

Although the National Pro Eagles won seven and lost three games, they notched themselves in second place with a season percentage of .700, for the second year in a row. This year—as was the case last season—the New York Giants put them out of the championship running by turning in an upset victory. The Eagles, however, are the only team in the league which beat every other team this season, and its books show two victories over the champion Cleveland Rams.

Pittsburgh's Steelers won only two of their ten games for a percentage of .200, but their play at the close of the season was a marked improvement over last year.

Improvement over early starts, and indicated that the team will have something more to show next year.

On the collegiate roster, Pennsylvania and Temple held full sway over the rest of the state. Pennsylvania, one of the best teams in the nation, was bested only by Army and Navy. The Temple Owls, regarded as weaklings at the season's outset, surprised one and all by winning their entire schedule except Penn State. The Owls straightened their feathers after the State debacle, however, and went on to trample Holy Cross in a startling upset over the team which received a bowl bid.

#### Big Things Next Year

Coaches are promising big things for next year. Returning veterans are fast picking up where they left off. Experience has taught many new tricks and rule changes keep making games more active and players more alert.

Collegiates and professionals alike see a glowing sports cavalcade in the offing for next year, and Mr. and Mrs. Fan can well look forward to it.

## Brandt And Baker Will Join Pirates

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Pitcher Bill Brandt, recently discharged from the navy, will join the Pittsburgh Pirates at their spring training camp at El Centro, Calif. President William Benswanger today announced.

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The championship team was made up of a combination of players from the St. Michaels and St. Phillip and James churches, which proved to be a winning eleven under the guidance and coaching of Eo. Carkik, who did a swell job this year in molding together a winner.

#### Monograms Presented

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Guest speaker of the evening was Ralph H. Gardner, Faculty Manager of Athletics of New Castle High who gave the boys a fine talk in his customary manner and explained character building and the getting away from race prejudice in sports. His talk was thoroughly enjoyed by the youngsters and adults present.

Gardner also mentioned in particular that all boys today regardless of their social standing had a chance to shine in athletics, and of becoming outstanding athletes in High School and college.

League representatives followed Mr. Gardner speaking very briefly, but adding their congratulations—St. Mary's, Rev. Fr. Quinn; St. Joseph's, Raymond Latko; St. Michael's, Robert Gwin. Other team representatives present also spoke, they were Leo Callahan of St. Mary's and Sam Tardio of St. Michael's. Anthony "Buzz" Panella of New Castle High football fame was also present and spoke briefly.

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## Remove Safety Pin From Child's Lung

BALTIMORE, Dec. 28.—(INS)—An open safety pin was removed in a 40-second bronchoscope operation today from the lung of three-year-old Irene Chernock, who was flown to Baltimore from Miami.

Meyer Chernock flew up with his baby daughter after the child swallowed the pin. Chernock's home is in Baltimore.

The operation was performed in Mercy hospital by Dr. Walter F. Zinn, famed for his work with the bronchoscope. The child will be kept in the hospital for several days to prevent complications.

**MILLION EX-NAZIS EXPELLED**

FRANKFURT, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Nearly one million ex-Nazis have by today been expelled from their jobs in public office and private enterprise throughout Germany. A compilation of Allied Internal Affairs statistics for the four occupation zones reveals.

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## St. Michaels Gridders Dine

Banquet At Castleton Thursday Evening Honors Catholic Grade School Champs

## RALPH GARDNER MAIN SPEAKER

St. Michael's junior football team, champions of the Catholic Grade School for 1945, were dined and praised last night at The Castleton hotel coral room at a 6 o'clock turkey dinner that satisfied the appetites to a "T". The event began with a prayer followed by singing of the "Star Spangled Banner." Thirty-five persons participated.

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## DAILY CROSSWORD

**ACROSS**

1. Twisted fabric 5. As of cards 9. Decay 19. Decay 21. Begs 23. Except 25. Mists 27. Wizard 29. Skin 30. Middle (L.) 32. Store 33. Claw 34. Gray 35. Run away

11. Lower extremities 10. Expression of sorrow 12. Store 14. Perched 16. Obtain 18. Fuel 17. Behold' 18. Private 20. Cry 22. Little child 23. Storage place 24. Quick 26. A food 29. Farm animal 30. Cushion 31. Coin (Port.) 32. Mettle (collaq.) 35. Seedless plant 36. Sails upward 37. Cross-barred cloth 38. Bearing 39. Plexus 40. Lixivium 41. Affirmative reply

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**Indicates Senatorial, Gubernatorial Races Wide Open In State**

## Martin Is Silent On Future Plans In Political Swirl

Indicates Senatorial, Gubernatorial Races Wide Open In State

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—(INS)—Gov. Edward Martin remained silent on his future political plans but indicated that the state's Republican U. S. senatorial and gubernatorial races were wide open.

The governor, a possible senatorial candidate, told news men that none of the candidates mentioned in political circles had been ruled out and referred especially to Jay Cooke, former lieutenant-colonel in the 29th division and unsuccessful candidate for the senate in 1940 against Sen. Joseph F. Guffey of Pittsburgh.

**Cooke In Picture**

Governor Martin said he didn't believe that Cooke, former Philadelphia county Republican chairman, was out of the picture "because of his record and ability as both a military man and in public life."

"That can apply to either the senatorship or the governorship," Martin commented.

"Nobody is out of the picture until the last day for filing nominating petitions," Martin added. "There may be filling by a lot of people whose names have not been mentioned."

March 11 will be the last day to file nomination petitions.

**Guffey Seeks Third Term**

Guffey was expected to seek a third term.

The chief executive said that State Supreme Court Justice George W. Maxey of Scranton still was in the running for the gubernatorial nomination.

Leading contenders for the gubernatorial nomination appeared to be Lt. Gov. John C. Bell, Jr. of Wyoming, Secretary of Internal Affairs William S. Livengood Jr. of Somerset, Highway Secretary John U. Shroyer of Shamokin, Cooke and Maxey.

The campaign will begin February 9 when nomination petitions may be circulated. The primary will be held May 21 and the general election November 5.

## Birthday Finds Mailman's Route Padded With Cash

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 28.—(INS)—When Walter D. Collins, 66-year-old Coraopolis mailman celebrated his recent birthday he found more than a hundred birthday cards with money enclosed in the boxes of his route.

It was just a display of gratitude and friendship by the customers to whom Collins has been delivering mail for the past 32 years.

As people on his route expressed thanks for his constant and faithful service, Collins turned back to the days in 1912 when he started. It was rough going back in the days of the horse and buggy and mud roads, but then he got an automobile.

He estimates that he delivers about 20,000 pieces of mail each month.

\* \* \* Asked what he will do when he retires soon, he said, "First I will try to help solve the low-cost housing problem. Plenty of veterans will be wanting places of their own—one that they can construct cheaply." Then he dug into his mailing and pulled out construction plans for a \$1,500 house.

Then they inserted this advertisement in the Sun-Telegraph.

"Rounds, the gun 'cans' are

meant to be used as a means of putting them up in cans now and

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Lost and Found

**LOST**—Girl Scout wallet, Thursday afternoon, in New Castle Store. Belongs to small girl. Call 4634-1.

**LOST**—At bus depot, black change purse containing money, needed badly. Finder please return. Reward \$10.00. Call 6788-3.

**LOST**—Lady's wrist watch, Waltham, between Johnson Avenue and N. Mercer St. Phone 2197-M. Reward \$10.00. Call 4634-1.

**LOST**—Thursday, black leather coat, size 12, dark blue. A vicinity of Route 40. Reward contact Jack Rose, 306 Bayles or phone 2525-R. Call 4634-1.

**LOST**—Man's work shoe, size 6½, orange, between Clarence and Beaver St. Phone 3690-W. Call 4634-1.

**WILLIE PARTY** who picked up gloves from store, Thursday, in Y.W.C.A. please return. Call 4634-1.

**LOST**—Brown leather wallet, Wednesday afternoon. Area bordered by Washington, north to Falls; Mill and Mercer. Contains money and valuable papers, including discharge. Reward \$10.00. Call 4634-1.

### Personals

**LEAVING** for St. Petersburg next week. Take two. Phone 5326-R. 6 to 7 p.m.

**WANTED**—Transportation from New Castle to State College, Sunday or Monday. Will pay. Call 1393-3.

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**WANTED**—Ride to or near State College, Monday or Tuesday John Wilson. Phone Princeton 24-R. 11-4.

**DRIVING** to Pensacola, Florida, January 1st—can take three passengers. Phone 1899-W.

**EXUNEDOS RENTED** by the day. Listed to each individual. Van Fleet & Berlin. 930-J.

**COLLEGE** student seeking someone driving to Philadelphia, from 29th to 1st. Willing to pay expenses of trip. Edwin A. Johnston, R. F. D. 1, Princeton Road, City. 11-4.

**GLASSES** repaired, frames welded while you wait. Arthur W. Meek, Jeweler next Alderman Green. 3125-Y.

**SPENCER INDIVIDUAL** health and medical garments. Call 1115 or 335-1. Mrs. Bacon fore 9 a.m. after 5 p.m. Mrs. Bacon 294125-4.

### Wanted

**WALL PAPER** samples taken directly to your home. Call Groden, 521 Wildwood Avenue. Phone 7738-5.

**WANTED**—Raw furs and beef hides. Open 'til 5 p.m. Rear 456 East Washington, New Castle. New location after January 1—22 Taylor St. W. Thompson. 11-4.

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**SEE THE NEW 1946 NATASHA** at Bryan Motor Sales, 36 S. Mercer St. 11-4.

**1946 PICKUP**, \$200, '37 Willys, \$250. ceiling, parts, tires, stove, totes, scales, furniture. Call 7515-R. 11-4.

**1946 CHEVROLET** coupe, standard good condition, \$250. within OPA settings. Room 22, Fountain Inn. 11-4.

**1946 CHEVROLET** coupe, radio, heater, spot-light, good tires and motor, \$245. good selling. Inquire at 502 Superior Ave. 11-4.

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1947 HUDSON sedan, heater, new paint and inspection, seat covers, \$1000. Open evenings. 11-4.

1936 PLYMOUTH coupe, motor overhauled, \$250. (under ceiling). 127 N. Ray St. Phone 288-J. 11-4.

PONTIAC (6) coupe, motor overhauled, \$250. (under ceiling). Penny's Gulf Service. 11-4.

FOR SALE—1934 Chevrolet sedan, good condition, \$190. (below ceiling). 112 S. Walnut St. 11-4.

EVERYTHING FINANCED FOR buy or sell. Personal Discount Co., Woods Bldg., New Castle. Call 2100-1. 11-4.

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BUTTONS FOR WINTER

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January Bids For Road Improvements To Reach \$10,000,000 Mark

HARRISBURG, Dec. 28.—(INS)—The state highway department planned today to start the new year by accelerating its \$500,000,000 post-war road improvement program.

Secretary John U. Shroyer said bids would be received in January for improvements approximating \$10,000,000.

Contract awards were expected to be withheld pending stabilization of the labor situation but work probably will be started in the spring if declared.

## Toll Speed Ahead

"We're ready to proceed at full speed as soon as the weather permits," Shroyer stated. "However we want to be able to determine construction costs before awarding contracts."

He pointed to the completion during 1945 of 1,496 miles of highway costing \$12,765,000 despite the war-time shortage of labor and materials.

The new work will embrace all types of roads, Shroyer said, including the last of the \$14,000,000 post-war program, the \$2,000,000 widening and resurfacing plan and the proposed expenditures of \$500,000,000 in improvements of inter-state, state primary and secondary highways.

## Turnpike Unsettled

No definite action has been taken on proposals to extend the Pennsylvania turnpike to the eastern and western borders of the state, he emphasized.

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New personnel have enrolled and 12,000 feet of snow fences erected to combat conditions similar to last winter, the most damaging in 66 years.

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years, it was reported. Clearance costs for 1945 totaled \$6,508,459.

**Toll Bridge War**  
Another effort to secure the bridges for \$7,000,000 limit fixed by the General Assembly during its 1945 session, were frustrated when owners held out for higher prices.

Shroyer said a \$150,000 legislative grant would be spent in the spring for 67 roadside rest sites have been selected for some of the tourist stops and plans announced for granting business concessions to disabled veterans on the locations.

The department's educational program aimed at reducing the mounting highway death toll was expected to be in full swing during 1946. The General Assembly during 1945 appropriated \$25,000 for instructing new drivers, pedestrians and bicycle riders in safety practices.

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No definite action has been taken on proposals to extend the Pennsylvania turnpike to the eastern and western borders of the state, he emphasized.

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